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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents September 25, 2001
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

4. (Amended) A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 1, wherein the input to the processor is made via a keypad.

5. (Amended) A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication

terminal according to claim 1, wherein the input to the processor is made via voice input.

Please add new claims 15-19 as follows:

-- 15. A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 2, wherein the input to the processor is made via a keypad.

16. A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 3, wherein the input to the processor is made via a keypad.

17. A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 2, wherein the input to the processor is made via voice input.

18. A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 3, wherein the input to the processor is made via voice input.

19. A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to claim 4, wherein the input to the processor is made via voice input. --

REMARKS

Entry of the above amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

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Please amend the claims as follows:

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5. (Amended) A communication terminal having a function for searching available menu items of said communication terminal according to ~~any preceding claim 1~~, wherein the input to the processor is made via voice input.